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Dear Sir/Madam:

DECLARATION OF COMMON OWNERSHIP

In response to the Office Action mailed November 4, 2005, the Applicant submits the following Declaration of Common Ownership regarding U.S. Patent No. 6,434,364 to O'Riordain.

The Applicant respectfully submits that at the time the invention of U.S. Application No. 10/606,684 was made, U.S. Application No. 10/606,684 and U.S. Patent No. 6,434,364 were commonly owned by or subject to an obligation of assignment to Telefonaktiebolaget LM Ericsson (publ) ("LME"), Stockholm, Sweden. Ericsson Inc (a U.S. Corporation) is a wholly owned subsidiary of LME.

Refer to U.S. Patent No. 6,434,364 Assignment recorded with the USPTO on March 22, 1999, reel 009853, frame 0026, and U.S. Application No. 10/606,684 Assignment recorded with the USPTO on March 22, 1999, reel 009853, frame 0026.

CONCLUSION

The Applicant requests a telephonic interview if the Examiner has any questions or requires any additional information that would further or expedite the prosecution of the Application.

Respectfully submitted,



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